

Cotton Ball and the Easter Bunnies

Cotton Ball is a little fluffy white kitten
With sparkling blue eyes
When Cotton Ball is sleeping
He looks just like a little ball
of white cotton only when he gets up and opens his
eyes
do you see that it is a little kitten
Because he looks like a little ball
of white cotton they call him: "Cotton Ball"

But little Cotton Ball has a problem
Cotton Ball was born without a tail
Well not exactly without a tail
He has a very short little tail
You can hardly see it

Cotton Ball's Mommy is very worried
because she noticed that when
Cotton Ball jumps of a little height
he loses his balance.
Cats must have tails to maintain
their balance.
Whenever a cat jumps from a height
it always lands on its four feet

Cotton Ball is never allowed to play
outside with the other cats
Mommy is afraid that Cotton Ball
will hurt himself
Cotton Ball always has to stay inside

Little Cotton Ball is very sad
He looks at the other cats
with their long tails, playing outside

One evening Cotton Ball and his Mommy
were lying on the floor under the kitchen
table
His Mommy fell asleep, but little Cotton
Ball could not sleep
He got up and began walking around
in the kitchen

Oh ... oh some one left the kitchen door open
Cotton Ball who never went outside ventures
to stick his head outside the door opening
It is very dark outside
Cotton Ball's eyes open very wide

Cotton Ball does not see an other cat playing
in the yard
Now Cotton Ball steps outside
Very careful he climbs down the steps
Cotton Ball knows he is doing some thing
that he should not do
If his Mommy awakes she surely will
be angry with him

Still Cotton Ball does not see any other
cats outside
He is looking and looking but does not even
see a shadow of another cat

When Cotton Ball reaches the back yard
he suddenly sees a little open field on this field he sees
three little figures running around cotton Ball walks up
closer to have a better look

Miauw... miauw, they are three little
kittens with very short tails
just like him cotton Ball cannot believe his eyes
Hop... hop...hop... they are jumping and
running around.

Cotton Ball goes on the field and makes
friends with the cats with the little tails
They jump and run around
They have lots of fun
Hop... hop... hop... they are jumping
and running around they play hide and seek and every
time they find Cotton Ball they have lots of laughs

It is the first time that Cotton Ball plays
outside he is having so much fun that he even forgets
that he has to go back home

Suddenly he hears a rooster crowing
Now he realizes that he has to go back
home before Mommy wakes up
Cotton Ball tells his friends goodbye and
runs back home



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Cotton Ball is lucky the kitchen door is still open he
runs up the steps and into the kitchen lucky for him his
Mommy is still sleeping

Cotton Ball lies down next to his Mommy he is very
tired of all that running around in a wink of an eye he
falls asleep

In the morning when they awake Cotton Ball tells his
Mommy what happened and how he had so much fun
with the cats with the little tails

Mommy does not believe Cotton Ball she tells him that
she never saw a cat with a little tail and that most likely
Cotton Ball dreamt everything no matter what Cotton
Ball does he can not convince his Mommy about the
encounter with the cats with the little tails

Cotton Balls gets irritated because no one
believes him
To calm Cotton Ball down his Mommy
promises him that that evening she will
go with him to the field to see the cats
with the little tails

Cotton Ball becomes very anxious about
visiting the field with his Mommy
That day he is constantly asking his Mommy
when are they going to the field?
Finally the sun sets and it gets dark

With a lot of confidence Cotton Ball leads
his Mommy to the field
Look ... Mommy...look... you see I am
telling you the truth
And... really on the field there were three
little figures running around
Mommy goes closer to the field
to have a better look
Suddenly she starts to laugh
My little darling... these are not cats
with little tails... they are rabbits
Rabbits have little tails

Mommy then tells Cotton Ball what rabbits are and that
he may play with them when the rabbits noticed Cotton
Ball they ran to him and invite him on the field

Cotton Ball is very happy he ran onto the field and starts
to play with the rabbits

But that night Cotton Ball and the rabbits have a special
job to do they have to color all the Easter eggs and
hide them, because on Easter morning all
the little children will search for them

Mommy sits down and sees how Cotton
Ball and the rabbits color the Easter Eggs
The different colors, red, blue, green, yellow,
purple and so on

With baskets full they were running and hiding all the
eggs you should see little Cotton Ball, he has
paint smudges all over his body Mommy was very
satisfied that cotton Ball finally has some
friends to play with

And so Cotton Ball paints and hides until the last
Easter egg is done since that day Cotton Ball helps the
rabbits color and hide the Easter Eggs

When Mommy tells Daddy and Cotton Ball's brothers
and sisters how Cotton Ball mistook the rabbits for cats
with little tails they all laugh and have lots of fun

Since then every night before Easter, Mommy
tells the story about little Cotton Ball and the rabbits
And they all laugh and laugh until they fall asleep